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SUBJECT: POLISH REQUESTS DISCUSSIONS AUGUST 15-17 ON CHARTER FLIGHTS

REF: STATE 147991

1. WE RECEIVED A NOTE AUGUST 4 FROM THE MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS PROPOSING THAT REPRESENTATIVES OF THE US AND POLAND MEET AUGUST 15-17 IN WARSAW TO DISCUSS CHARTER FLIGHTS. THE NOTE REFERS TO THE JUNE 23 CONVERSATIONS BETWEEN VICE MINISTER OF TRANSPORTATION PIERTASZEK AND DEPARTMENT OFFICERS AND REQUESTS AN EARLY REPLY FROM THE APPROPRIATE U.S. AUTHORITIES.

2. COMMENT: WE HAVE REMINDED OFFICIALS AT THE MINISTRY OF TRANSPORTATION THAT, AS REPORTED IN REF, THE SCHEDULE FOR U.S. NEGOTIATORS WOULD MAKE IT DIFFICULT FOR THEM TO TRAVEL TO WARSAW IN AUGUST. THESE OFFICIALS DID NOT KNOW WHETHER IT MIGHT BE POSSIBLE FOR THE POLISH TEAM TO TRAVEL FOR TALKS IN WASHINGTON, BUT WE CAN PURSUE THIS POSSIBILITY FURTHER IF DESIRED. THE POLES EMPHASIZED THE IMPORTANCE OF REACHING SOME UNDER-STANDING ON CHARTER FLIGHTS DURING AUGUST OR, AT THE LATEST, SEPTEMBER IN ORDER THAT THE CARRIERS CONCERNED MAY BE ABLE TO DEVELOP

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THEIR 1978 CHARTER PROGRAMS. THEY SAID THAT, FAILING SOME UNDERSTANDING ON THESE QUESTIONS, THE DIFFERING POLICIES OF OUR GOVERNMENTS WOULD BE APPLIED UNILATERALLY, I.E., RESTRICTIVELY IN THE CASE OF THE GOP.

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